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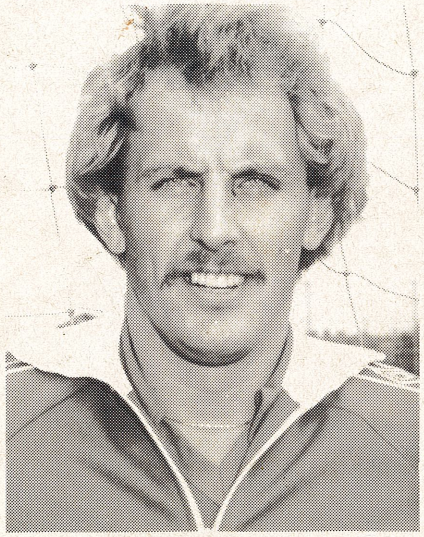

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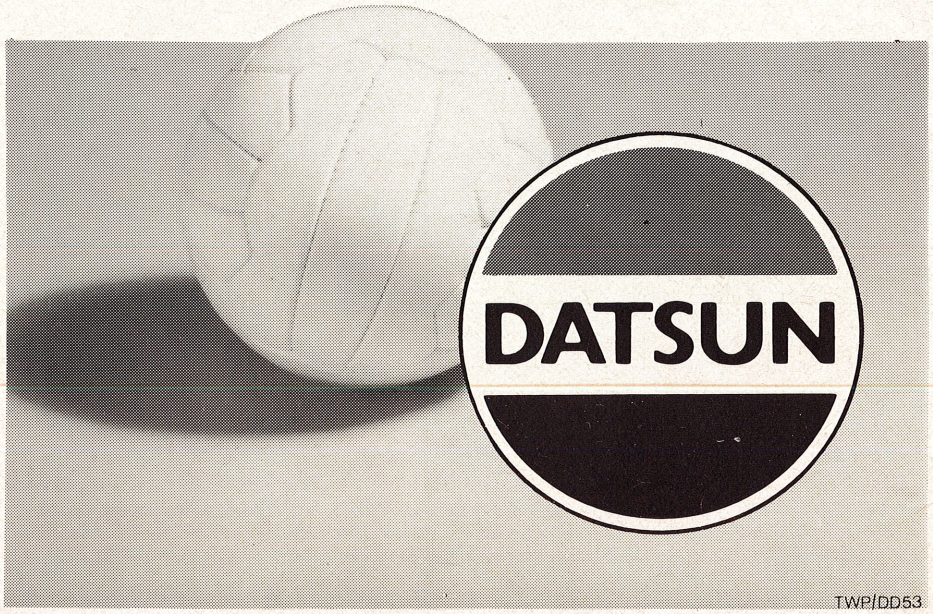

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SUNDAY, 5th APRIL, 1981.

MARCONI–DATSUN vs ADELAIDE HAWKS

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4 NEWCASTLE	5	3	1	1	7	3	+4	7
4 BRISBANE CITY	5	2	3	—	7	3	+4	7
6 MARCONI	6	3	1	2	5	8	−3	7
7 PRESTON	5	3	—	2	9	5	+4	6
8 CANBERRA	5	2	2	1	4	2	+2	6
9 LEICHHARDT	5	2	2	1	6	5	+1	6
10 WEST ADELAIDE	5	2	—	3	5	5	—	4
11 ADELAIDE CITY	5	1	1	3	4	6	−2	3
11 BRISBANE LIONS	5	—	3	2	3	5	−2	3
13 BLACKTOWN	5	—	3	2	4	7	−3	3
14 OLYMPIC	6	1	1	4	7	13	−6	3
14 HEIDELBERG	6	1	1	4	7	13	−6	3
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MARCONI vs CANBERRA PAST RESULTS

HOME:

1977:	Marconi v Canberra	0 - 0
1978:	Marconi v Canberra	2 - 0
1979:	Marconi v Canberra	1 - 1
1980:	Marconi v Canberra	3 - 2

THIS WEEK'S MATCHES

SATURDAY, March 28:
MATCH: Blacktown Demons v South Melbourne Gunners
VENUE: Gabbie Stadium
KICK-OFF: 4.00 pm
OFFICIALS: Ref - Tim Davies, Linesmen - G Power, P Hafey

SUNDAY, March 29:
MATCH: West Adelaide Hawks v Leichhardt Strikers
VENUE: Hindmarsh Stadium
KICK-OFF: 2.30 pm
OFFICIALS: Ref - Don Campbell, Linesmen - J Rossis, C Barbo

MATCH: Newcastle KB Raiders v Wollongong Wolves
VENUE: International Sports Centre
KICK-OFF: 2.30 pm
OFFICIALS: Ref - Doug Rennie, Linesmen - J Judd, R Warren

MATCH: Brisbane Lions v Preston Rams
VENUE: Richlands Stadium
KICK-OFF: 3.00 pm
OFFICIALS: Ref - C Amos, Linesmen - A Kibbler, G Nicholson

MATCH: Footscray Eagles v Adelaide City Giants
VENUE: Schintler Reserve
KICK-OFF: 3.00 pm
OFFICIALS: Ref - E Venios, Linesmen - D Voutsinas, D Fokianos

MATCH: Sydney Olympians v Sydney Slickers
VENUE: Pratten Park
KICK-OFF: 3.00 pm
OFFICIALS: Ref - J Reeves, Linesmen - R Barton, A Morrison

MATCH: Marconi-Datsun v Canberra Arrows
VENUE: Marconi Stadium
KICK-OFF: 3.00 pm
OFFICIALS: Ref - K Small, Linesmen - T Williams, P Wood

MATCH: Heidelberg Warriors v Brisbane Gladiators
VENUE: Olympic Park
KICK-OFF: 3.00 pm
OFFICIALS: Ref - S Mellings, Linesmen - J Fearn, S Zoumas

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MARCONI–DATSUN vs ADELAIDE HAWKS

NEXT SUNDAY 5th APRIL, 1981 3-00 pm MARCONI STADIUM

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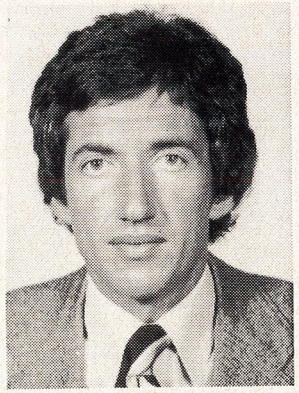

Once a team starts to struggle or has a slight lapse in form the automatic reaction is press the panic buttons. Over the last week the media has reported that Marconi–Datsun are "panicking" and that's the reason behind the two new players in the squad. Let me set the record straight. Marconi–Datsun are not a "fly by night" team that panics. We are what I believe and no doubt you supporters believe the best team in the country. We have chosen carefully in selecting the two new players, i.e. Joe Picioane and Housein Houssieni. They are extremely talented players and no doubt will compliment the already talented players at Marconi–Datsun. At this stage I extend a warm welcome on behalf of everybody concerned with Club Marconi Soccer to Joe and Housein. Joe Picioane will be making his debut today against Canberra Arrows. We wish him well. Last week against Footscray Housein Houssieni played his first match for Marconi–Datsun and was in superb touch for first up game.

Since the beginning of the 1981 Philips League Season, Marconi–Datsun has received a lot of "stick" from the press, media, the National Coach, and even our own supporters ... and deservedly so ... but enough is enough, I admit we have not played exceptionally well to date and on our past performance we can and will get better ... the press is blaming the players, the National Coach is blaming the players and indirectly our Coach, the supporters are blaming the Coach and the players. To our supporters I ask you to get behind your team ... what's happened to the famous Marconi support of old ... Last week against Sydney City you displayed your loyalty .. I ask you again to show your loyalty and support, where it counts on our own home ground. I can assure you, get behind the players and they will not let you down.

Details of a major soccer raffle with our Sponsor, N.S.W. Datsun Network, will be finalized this week. Details will be supplied to you next week at our home match vs West Adelaide.

Finally on behalf of Players, Officials and Sponsors of Club Marconi Soccer I would like to extend a warm welcome to the Canberra City Arrows Team.

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MARCONI – JUNIOR SOCCER REPORT

Welcome to the four new junior coaches, Roy Maripodi (U/11), Vince Abella (U/13) Stanley Gabriel (U/14) and Bob Antic (U/15). Also welcome back to our two "old hands" Lidio Mangolini (U/12) and Vic Divani (U/16). We hope you all have a very rewarding season with Marconi.

Congratulations and good luck to the boys who have been selected in their respective squads.

The Youth League is under way with some promising early results:

Round One - Marconi vs Manly	U/14	1 - 1 draw
	U/15	1 - 3 loss
	U/16	5 - 2 win
Round Two - Marconi vs Canterbury	U/14	3 - 1 win
	U/15	1 - 1 draw
	U/16	0 - 3 loss

A Mothers' Day Dinner is currently being organised for Friday, 8th May, as a fund raiser to assist with the six junior teams. Everyone is welcome to attend, including children from fourteen years up.

The Junior Ladies' Aux. meets every second Tuesday at the Club. Mothers of any junior players who would like to attend are guaranteed a hearty welcome as we would like to make this a memorable season for all involved. Next meeting 31. 3. 81. at 7 p.m.

Remember to take advantage of the barbecue as all proceeds assist the junior soccer.

R. FOSTER, LADIES' AUX. VICE-PRESIDENT

YOUTH LEAGUE

MARCONI–DATSUN vs CANBERRA ARROWS

MARCONI STADIUM KICK-OFF 12.45 PM

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L. Barlow
J. Calderan
R. Savio
S. D'Amore
A. Veneri
S. Lamaitre

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MANAGER: FRED MASONWELLS

CANBERRA ARROWS

Neil Coles
Glenn Havelock
John Moutsopolous
John Kovacs
Tom Orsag
Peter Orsag
Tony Belmonte
Eugenio Exposito
Danny Serena
Terry Ridley
Jari Nousiainen
Steven Cringle
Cameron Dwyer
Stan Mitchell
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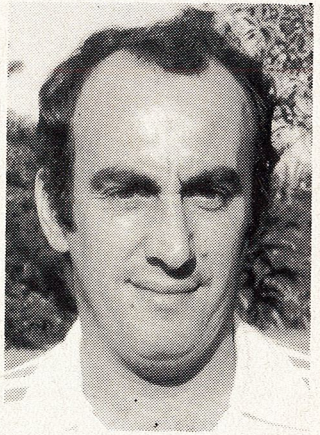
THE COACH COMMENTS



After our defeat at the hands of Sydney City last Sunday, against Footscray in Melbourne we gained two very valuable points. This was not an easy match because Footscray's approach began with ultra defensive tactics, they played in a negative way and it was not easy to break their defensive pattern. The team played well and it was a great comeback by Paul Degney, who played his first match in P.S.L. after a very long lay-off – he is back to his best. I am very happy because he put in an incredible amount of hard work to make a successful comeback.

On Sunday our new acquisition Housien Housseini made his debut and was one of the best men in the park, with him we have gained a very good midfield player who will bring, alongside with Joe Picioane, flair to our team.

I think the press is not being realistic or constructive when they talk about Marconi, apparently they expect that every Sunday our team will go out and beat the opposition very easily, because we have a lot of international players in our Club. My point of view is that those days of easy opponents are over, everybody is improving year after year. It's up to us obviously to keep proving that we are one of the best teams in this country - the ingredients of a champion is consistency, this is something we have to work very hard at. Players themselves, supporters and everybody included should remember that the greatest teams in the world, like Liverpool for example, are considered "great" because they have the magic word "consistency".

I believe strongly that we have some very good players in our squad, with the hard work they are putting in we are on the right track.

Today's match should prove to be a great match. Canberra City started this year's competition very consistently. I'm sure that they are fully determined to go on with the job. We welcome them and we hope to return the hospitality they always show us.

MARCONI IS DETERMINED TO KEEP WINNING.

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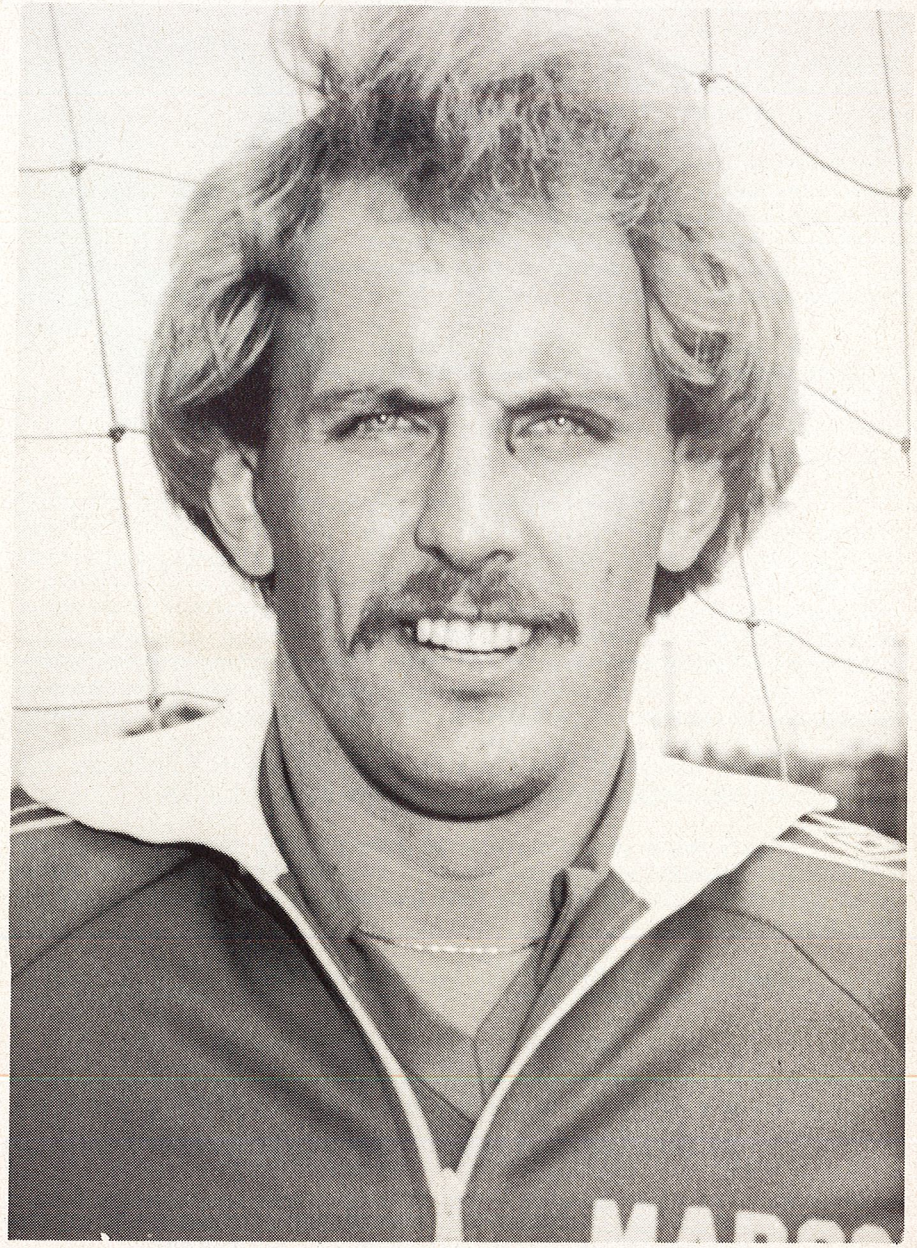

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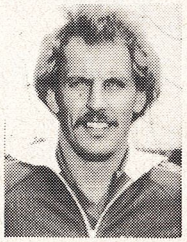

TONY HENDERSON
NO. 4

NAME:	TONY HENDERSON
BORN:	Newcastle-upon-Tyne 14.1.54.
HEIGHT:	6' 2"
WEIGHT:	12 stone 5 lb
CURRENT OCCUPATION:	Sales Rep., Shore Datsun
JOINED MARCONI:	December 1978
OTHER CLUBS PLAYED FOR:	Rotherham United, Durban United (South Africa), Canberra City.
POSITIONS PLAYED:	Sweeper, Centre Half or Mid-field
REPRESENTATIVE HONOURS:	New South Wales, Australia.
OTHER SPORTS PLAYED:	Squash, Tennis, Darts and Dominoes
MOST MEMORABLE MATCH PLAYED:	for Australia against Cosmos and England
MOST MEMORABLE MATCH WATCHED:	1966 World Cup Final England vs West Germany & Australia v Israel, Tel Aviv December 1980.
MAJOR INJURIES:	A bad pelvic injury last year, it kept me out of soccer for five months.
FAVOURITE FOREIGN TEAM:	Watford
FAVOURITE FOREIGN PLAYER:	Mick Henderson and Peter Raskopolous
FAVOURITE LOCAL TEAM:	Sydney City?
FAVOURITE LOCAL PLAYER:	Steve Hogg
BIGGEST INFLUENCE ON CAREER:	Ron Tilsed, he showed me the ropes.
MISCELLANEOUS LIKES:	Enjoying life, Sydney, St. Georges Leagues, Training, Adam and the Ants, Cold Chizel.
WHAT DO YOU LEAST LIKE IN SOCCER:	Inconsistant Refs. losing to anyone but especially South Melbourne, Canberra City and Sydney City
WHAT ADVICE WOULD YOU GIVE TO YOUNGSTERS:	Be prepared to sacrifice, always be ready to learn from others. Dedication is very important, the rewards are good but the sacrifices are many.

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8. HOUSEIN HOUSSIENI
9. EDDIE KRNCEVIC
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15. DENNIS COLUSSO
16. DRAGO TOMASICH
17. JOE PICIOANE
22. RON CORRY

COACH: RAUL BLANCO

CANBERRA ARROWS
Colours: Gold and Blue

1. R. WILSON
2. M. O'SHEA
3. H. WILLIAMS
4. D. COLE
5. J. O'SHEA
6. R. STARK (CAPTAIN)
7. R. O'SHEA
8. T. BYRNE
9. W. VALERI
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